HOUSE BILL No. 1802

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 7.1-3-1-14; IC 7.1-5-10-1.

Synopsis: Sunday and holiday alcoholic beverage sales. Allows a supplemental retailer that is a hotel or restaurant to sell alcoholic beverages: (1) on Sunday from 10 a.m. to 3 a.m.; and (2) on Christmas and election day.

Effective: July 1, 2003.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning alcoholic beverages and tobacco.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 7.1-3-1-14, AS AMENDED BY P.L.136-2000, SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2003]: Sec. 14. (a) It is lawful for an appropriate permittee, unless otherwise specifically provided in this title, to sell alcoholic beverages each day Monday through Saturday from 7 a.m., prevailing local time, until 3 a.m., prevailing local time, the following day. Sales shall cease wholly on Sunday at 3 a.m., prevailing local time, and not be resumed until the following Monday at 7 a.m., prevailing local time.

- (b) It is lawful for the holder of a supplemental retailer's permit which is not specified in subsection (c) to sell the appropriate alcoholic beverages on Sunday from noon, prevailing local time, until 12:30 a.m., prevailing local time, the following day.
- (c) It is lawful for the holder of a supplemental retailer's permit to sell the appropriate alcoholic beverages on Sunday from 11:00 a.m., 10 a.m., prevailing local time, until 12:30 a.m., 3 a.m., prevailing local time, the following day if the holder of the permit meets the following criteria:

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1	(1) the holder of the permit is a hotel; or
2	(2) the holder of the permit meets the requirements of 905
3	IAC 1-41-2(a).
4	(d) Notwithstanding subsections (b) and (c), if December 31 (New
5	Year's Eve) is on a Sunday, it is lawful for the holder of a supplemental
6	retailer's permit to sell the appropriate alcoholic beverages on Sunday,
7	December 31 from the time provided in subsection (b) or (c) until 3
8	a.m. the following day.
9	(e) It is lawful for the holder of a permit under this article to sell
10	alcoholic beverages at athletic or sports events held on Sunday upon
11	premises that:
12	(1) are described in section 25(a) of this chapter;
13	(2) are a facility used in connection with the operation of a paved
14	track more than two (2) miles in length that is used primarily in
15	the sport of auto racing; or
16	(3) are being used for a professional or an amateur tournament;
17	beginning one (1) hour before the scheduled starting time of the event
18	or, if the scheduled starting time of the event is 1 p.m. or later,
19	beginning at noon.
20	(f) It is lawful for the holder of a valid beer, wine, or liquor
21	wholesaler's permit to sell to the holder of a valid retailer's or dealer's
22	permit at any time.
23	SECTION 2. IC 7.1-5-10-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.205-1999,
24	SECTION 18, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
25	JULY 1, 2003]: Sec. 1. (a) Except as provided in subsection
26	subsections (d) and (e), it is unlawful to sell alcoholic beverages at the
27	following times:
28	(1) At a time other than that made lawful by the provisions of
29	IC 7.1-3-1-14.
30	(2) On Christmas Day and until 7:00 o'clock in the morning,
31	prevailing local time, the following day.
32	(3) On primary election day, and general election day, from 3:00
33	o'clock in the morning, prevailing local time, until the voting polls
34	are closed in the evening on these days.
35	(4) During a special election under IC 3-10-8-9 (within the
36	precincts where the special election is being conducted), from
37	3:00 o'clock in the morning until the voting polls are closed in the
38	evening on these days.
39	(b) During the time when the sale of alcoholic beverages is
40	unlawful, no alcoholic beverages shall be sold, dispensed, given away,
41	or otherwise disposed of on the licensed premises and the licensed
42	premises shall remain closed to the extent that the nature of the



business carried on the premises, as at a hotel or restaurant, permits.	
(c) It is unlawful to sell alcoholic beverages on New Years Day for	
off-premises consumption.	
(d) It is lawful for the holder of a valid beer, wine, or liquor wholesaler's permit to sell to the holder of a valid retailer's or dealer's	
permit at any time.	
(e) Subsection (a)(2) through (a)(4) does not apply to the holder	
of a supplemental retailer's permit that:	
(1) is a hotel; or	
(2) meets the requirements of 905 IAC 1-41-2(a).	
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